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## TO OUR PRINCIPAL

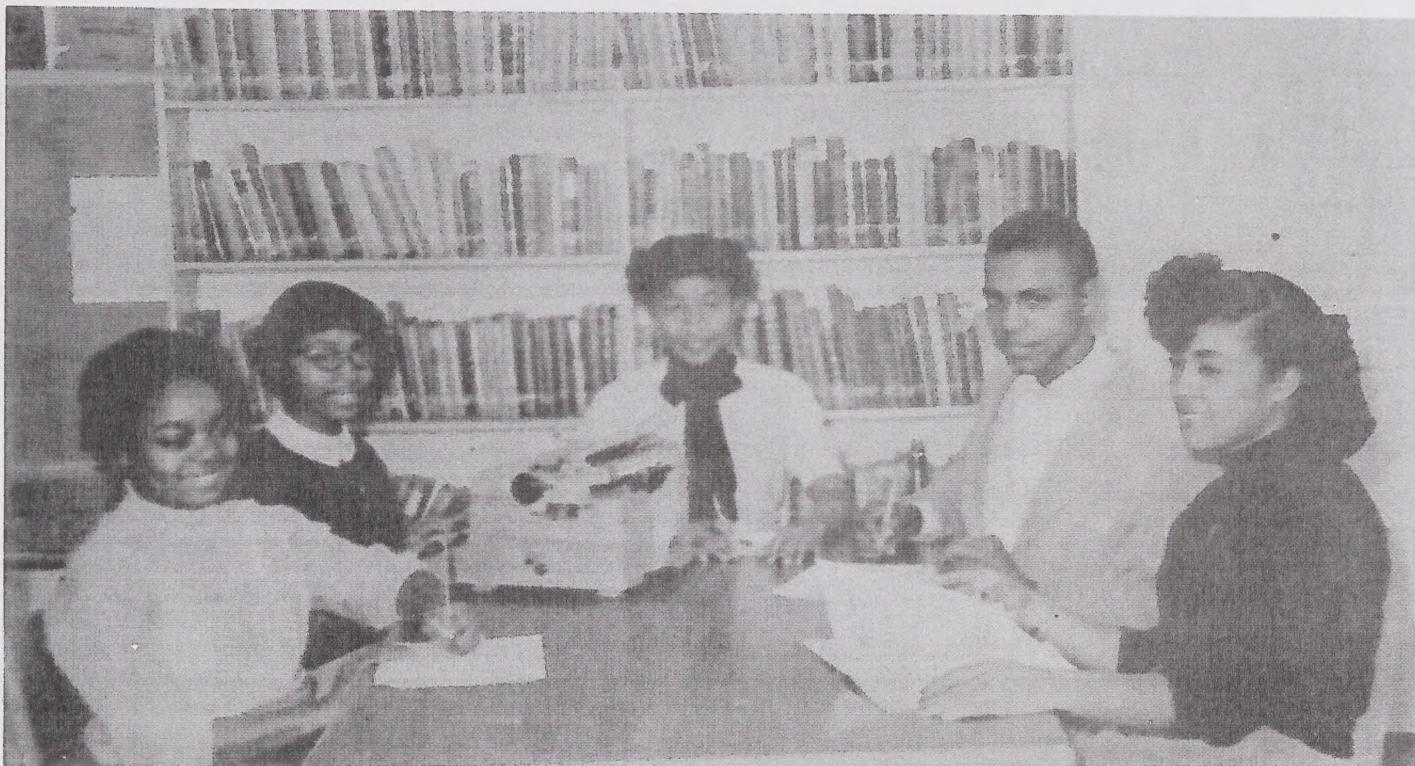


To our prosperous principal who  
has striven all these years to make  
us worthy citizens in the future, we  
would like to give our sincere thanks  
and gratitude.

The Senior Class of  
"54".



## YEARBOOK STAFF



## DEDICATION

We, the staff of the 1954 Eagle, dedicate this volume to our dear beloved parents who have made possible our education, the smiling faces and pleasant memories of our years at W. S. Etheridge High School. To our principal, teachers and friends and to those who founded this system of freedom and education--our sincere thanks.

The Staff



# FACULTY



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Mr. Coggins

Mrs. Coleman

Mr. Ward



Mr. Thomas



Mrs. Watson



Mrs. High



Mrs. Gilliam



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Mrs. Cherry



Miss Wilson



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Mrs. Perry



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Miss Gilliam



## HOME EC. CLUB



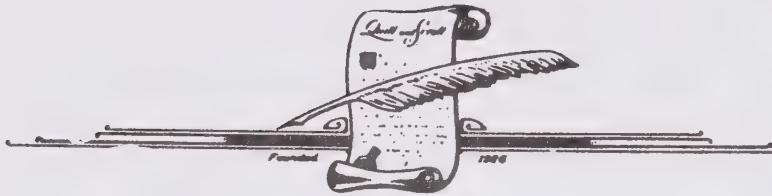
## GLEE CLUB



## N.F.A.







## CLASS WILL

We the class of 1954, in the town of Windsor, the county of Bertie, being of sound mind, do hereby make this our last will and testament.

To the entire school we leave the example we have set as worthy scholars and obedient students.

We, the Senior class of '54" will the Juniors our leadership so that they may have successful activities during their Senior year.

We, the Seniors of '54" will the Sophomores our ability to get along with the faculty and student-body.

We, the Seniors of '54" will the Freshmen a novel on "How to become good high school students."

We, the Seniors of '54" will Mrs. E. B. Allen our sincere thanks for being a wonderful adviser during our senior year.

To our beloved parents, who have guided and supported us through the years we leave our deepest devotion and gratitude.

I, Alfonzia Holley, will Kenneth Capehart my ability to find a girlfriend.

I, John Whitted Bond, will William Rasdoe my ability to make passing marks so he can continue to be on the basketball team.

I, Bernice Cherry, will Dorothy Parker, Roosevelt Cherry so Gracie Bell will stop loving him.

I, Sarah Spivey, will Melvin Johnson and Earl Law my ability to stop cutting in Mrs. Cloeman's class.

I, Madeline Gilliam, will Silas Clemons my set of 12th grade books so he can study instead of walking all the time.

I, George Heckstall, will Earl M. Law my brains to make A's in class.

I, Kathryn Cherry, will Cora Cooper, Jean Riddick and Barbara Leath my place in the lunch room.

I, Thelma Cooper, will Fannie Mae Outlaw a large bottle of glue so she will stop talking so much about things that don't concern her.

I, Naomi Bond, will Barbara Cooper a pair of 3-inch heel shoes so she will be tall enough to dance with her boyfriend.

I, Aurelia C. Mebane, will Teresia Ryan the ability to take L.B. back from Annadora Bell so she won't have to fuss over him.

I, Sudie Bond, will Beatrice Pugh my friendliness toward the teachers and other students.

I, Herbert Robbins, will Edward L. Williams a girlfriend.

I, Oliver Bond will, Williams Phillips my ability to keep quiet.

I, Dorothy Gray, will Audrey Gurley my friendship.

I, Gloria Capehart, will Alma Lois Smallwood a most happy and successful future.



I, Verlie Speller, will Mary L. Rascoe a jet plane, so she can get to class on me.

I, Lillian Freeman will Larese Swain my quietness, so she can stop her talking and being so fast.

I, Ester Wilson, will Fannie M. Outlaw John Riddick so she can stop talking about him.

I, Elnora Freeman, will Lillie M. Berry my size so John Briggett can get his arms around her.

I, Norma O. Speller will Minnie Bond my style for dressing and not to walk much in the chapel.

I, Shirley Outlaw will Minnie Bond a pair of roller skates, so she can get to class on time.

I, Priscilla Berry, will Maple Lee Cherry a faster walk so she will stop creeping.

I, George Owens, will Eugene Gaynor my ability to get by without studying.

I, James Wilson, will William Phillips my ability to stay from the pool-room and attend class more often.

I, Josephine Cherry, will Minnie Holley my quietness in school.

I, Elmarea Parker, will Mrs. High grown associates to become sociable with.

I, Chester Spivey will Eugene Gaynor the ability to play basketball.

I, Johnnie White, will Charles Watson a package of cigarettes so he can stop king for ducks.

I, Christeen Holley, will Sue D. Cofield and Delia Gilliam my ability to stop king so much.

I, John Cooper, will Dorothy Simmons French Book II.

I, Doretha Leary, will Silas Clemons a ticket to take a trip to Goldsboro, N.

I, Della Cooper, will Beatrice Pugh a mind to study instead of laughing and king all the time.

I, Cherria Hyman, will Melvin Johnson a pair of rubber-sole shoes so his king will not be disturbing to others in the chapel.

I, George B. Cooper, will George E. Owens my ability to act like a gentleman.

I, William Greene, will Charles Watson the ability to attend his classes more en.

I, Harry L. Rascoe, will Sue D. Cofield a car to come to school in, when the has left her.

I, Muriel Epps, will Cora Cooper, the key to George Owen's heart.

I, Willie L. Gilliam, will Elizabeth Joyner some lopes to keep her boyfriends rt.

I, Steve Gilliam, will Thomas Bunch the ability to find a girlfriend.

I, Anna Dameron, will my ability to be the most popular girl of the Senior ss to some nice girl in the Junior class.

I, William Clemons, will Minnie R. Holley a box of salt, so it can stop her m being so fresh.

I, Bessie M. Parker, will Cora Cooper, Jean Riddick and Barbara Leath a nt seat in the chapel and the privilege to rule the Senior class of "54" but not students.

I, Clarence Hayes, will Thomas Bunch the ability to be nice to the girls.



I, Georgia Speller, will Barbara Leath a box of salt so she can stop being sweet.

I, Anna Dameron, will Cora Cooper my sincere wishes during her Senior year

I, Mary L. Spivey will Alma C. Hill a distinguisher to distinguish between James Peele and Robert Keemer.

I, Jane Speller, will Earl Law and Melvin Johnson, a bottle of grease to grease themselves with so they can slop in and out of Mrs. High's class without disturbing it.

I, Lettie V. Cherry will Minnie Bond my fur during her senior year.

I, Louis Bond, will Floyd Winborne a comb to comb his hair.

I, Dorothy M. Gray will the Junior girls my ability to attract attention while walking down the hall.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our name and affixed our seal this 30th day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty four.



# SENIORS

BLANCHE BARROW  
to do my best.

EASON BERRY  
"Buddy" Looking forward to success.



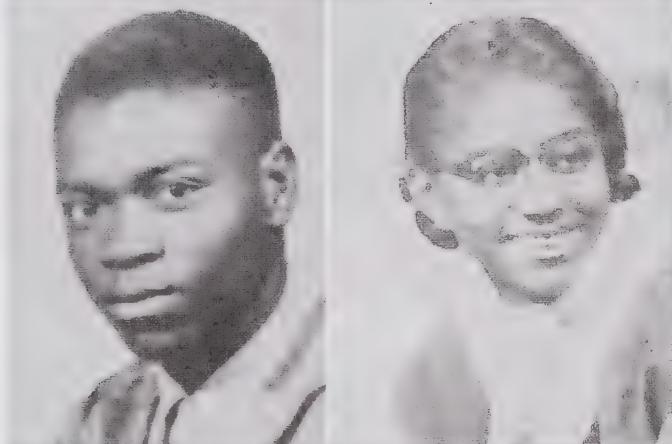
PRICILLA BERRY  
I always try to do my best.

JOHN W. BOND  
"Prezz" The more we love a mistress, the nearer we are to hating her.



LEWIS BOND  
We learn not for school, but for life.

SUDIE O. BOND  
"Little Sue" One step at a time, but always forward.



OLIVER W. BOND  
Best things come in small packages.

NAOMI BOND  
"Loan" Success comes to those who endeavor it.



BERNICE CHERRY  
"To thine own self be true."

JOSEPHINE CHERRY  
"BellStar" Work for better improvement.





## SENIOR

KATHRYN CHERRY

"Kat" If you fail once, try again.

LET'

"Vivia" If you are a girl, Lettie is the



DELLA COOPER

"Dell" I am always working on the success.

GEOR

"Buck" I shall tr

JOHN RUPHERT COOPE

"Slim" A man of courage is a faith.

THEL

"Ruby" My hear

ANNA LOIS DAMERON  
"Ann" I shall strive to reach success.

MUR

"Sister" Do unto them do unto yo

JAMES DUKE EPPS

"Lover Boy" He is not a love forever.

EL

"Scarce" The climbed.



# SENIORS

J. FREEMAN  
y small but not too small

MADELINE GILLIAM  
lat" Give the world the best you have and  
best will come back to you.



UE GILLIAM  
t anymore out of life  
1 it.

STEVE GILLIAM  
ill" The boy who knows all detective  
ork.



HENA GRAY  
s at labor gate.

WILLIAM C. GREEN  
reene" I will do better in the future.



EE HAYES  
lack courage to tell the

GEORGE E. HECKSTALL  
he Kid" Try, and you are most likely to  
ceed.



N E. HOLLEY  
ter progress, do the best

ALPHONSA HOLLEY  
ionzie" I am striving to do better in the  
ure.





## SENIORS

JOSEPH HUCKS

"Boot Jack" Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid.

CHERRIA HYMAN

"Baby Sany" There are yet more climbed.

BETTY JONES

"Bet" You may be slow but God will always help the one who tries.

BOBBY J. JONES

"Tussy" I am a big boy, but large to learn.

AURELIA C. MABANE

"Rea" Good better best never let it rest until you have made the better best.

SHIRLEY GRAY OUTI

"Shelly" Let your conscience be and you can't go wrong.

GEORGE C. OWENS

"Owens" To be rather than to seem.

BESSIE PARKER

"Bes" I'm looking forward to a

ELMOREA PARKER

"Elmira" I'll strive to make the best better.

THOMAS RIDDICK

"Tom" Life is not short but the time for courtesy.



# SENIORS

WT ROBBINS  
s the light.

ANNIE ROBERSON  
obins" Success is my goal.



GLIA SPELLER  
to do better in the future.

NORMA O. SPELLER  
"Phelia" The girl who never smiles, but she  
is trying to make her life a successful one.



DEN SPELLER  
of fun, but who is really  
life.

VERLIE FANDORA SPELLER  
"Cat Bird" If you have knowledge let others  
light their candle by it.



TER SPIVEY  
e slow, but when they say  
1.

MARY L. SPIVEY  
"Lil" I might be a red head, but they do  
have advantages toward the goal of success.



DELOIS SPIVEY  
ing beats a failure but a try.

SHIRLEY B. VAUGHN  
"Be" The girl with the split personality, but  
when you get to know her she is real gone.





## SENIORS

WILLIE JAMES WEBB  
"Money" Excuses only satisfy the man who makes them.

ESTER H. WILSON  
"Sweetie" The girl who is but is looking forward to

CLEO P. WILSON  
"Cle" I shall strive to do my best in the near future.

JAMES WILSON  
"Wilson" The boy who is when you get acquainted with old friend James.

ALICE R. WILLIAMS  
"Chicken" Success waits for those who labor for it.

OLIVER WINDELL  
"Ollie" Give the best that world and the best will come.

CLARENCE COOPER HAYES  
"Coop" To do and to be.

DORETHEA LEA  
"Doe" Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

HARRY LEE RASCOE  
"Pipe" Have courage to achieve thy heart's desire.

WILLIAM LEWIS W  
"Pedro" If you can't be pretty



JOHNNY CLYDE WHITE  
"White" Always hold a high head.



## STUDENT COUNCIL



to promote student activities, the student council is an organization which encourages a closer relationship between the student body and the administration.

The council is composed of twelve members: A president and three representatives from each high school class. The representatives are expected to present suggestions and recommendations for the best interest of the school.

For the year of 1953-54 the Student Council, under the direction of Mr. Johnny Clyde White, will direct efforts mainly toward the realization of aims set





### **The Eighth Grade Class Officers**

Edna Dudley . . . . .	President
Bertha Parker . . . . .	Vice-President
Janice Cooper . . . . .	Financial Secretary
Doretha Faulk . . . . .	Recording Secretary
Helen Dameron . . . . .	Treasurer

Class Color . . . . . Royal Blue & White  
"Motto" . . . . . Climbing







President - Melvin  
Johnson  
Secretary - Shirley  
Speller  
Treasurer - Roberta  
Freeman



resident - Eleana  
Briggett  
ecretary - Frances  
Etheridge  
reasurer - Barbara  
Lassitter



resident - Bertha  
Spivey  
ecretary - Joyce  
Burnett  
reasurer - Alma R  
Jordan





## WHO'S WHO

Steven Gilliam  
 Willie Webb  
 James Duke Epps  
 George Heckstall  
 Alfonzia Holley  
 George Owens  
 Herbert Robbins  
 George Heckstall  
 Johnny C. White  
 John Cooper  
 Thomas Riddick  
 George Hayes  
 John Cooper  
 James Taylor  
 Thomas Riddick  
 John Cooper  
 Alfonzia Holley  
 John W. Bond  
 Eason Berry  
 George Heckstall  
 Willie Webb  
 Thomas Riddick  
 Clarence Hayes  
  
 James Wilson  
 Willie Webb  
 Herbert Robbins  
 John Cooper

Shortest  
 Tallest  
 Neatest  
 Most popular  
 Quietest  
 Most athletic  
 Best dancer  
 Most talkative  
 Laziest  
 Most dependable  
 Most sincere  
 Most comical  
 Most likely to Succeed  
 Biggest flirt  
 Best personality  
 Best scholars  
 Most sympathetic  
 Stingiest  
 Shyest  
 Best voice  
 Most Co-operative  
 Friendliest  
 Handsomest/Most  
 Attractive  
 Slowest  
 Most industrious  
 Meanest  
 Best piano player

Sarah Spivey  
 Georgia Speller  
 Norma Speller  
 Anna Dameron  
 Bernice Cherry  
 Muriel Epps  
 Georgia Speller  
 Thelma Cooper  
 Cherria Hyman  
 Madeline Gilliam  
 Christine Holley  
 Blanch Barrow  
 Sarah Spivey  
 Joyce Ward  
 Christine Holley  
 Sarah Spivey  
 Della Cooper  
 Cherria Hyman  
 Gloria Capehart  
 Sarah Spivey  
 Madeline Gilliam  
 Christine Holley  
 Josephine Cherry  
  
 Betty Lou Jones  
 Catherine Cherry  
 Norma O. Speller  
 Muriel Epps.







COACH  
Mrs. Dunson

**GIRLS'**  
**BASKETBALL TEAM**  
**1953-54**







COACHES  
Mr. Thomas  
Mr. Coggins



**BOYS'**  
**BASKETBALL TEAM**  
**1953-54**





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Mr. Rascoe Gilliam  
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Mr. Lawrence Biggs  
Mr. L. B. Mitchell  
Mr. Josah Rascoe  
Mr. Eugene Williams  
Mr. Olive White**





